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For the Fall Trade have been received. We are ready to serve our old patrons and the public in general, and we only ask for an early and personal inspection. In our
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We have an immense variety of Foreign and Domestic Goods, and we guarantee a Perfect Fit in every instance at no extra cost.

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Ever brought to this city, all of which has been selected with the greatest care. An elegant and most beautiful selection of SILKS AND SATINS.
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My stock of Fall and Winter Clothing for Men, Youths and Boys is very large and embraces every article known in the line of Gent's Furnishing Goods. Overcoats, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Dress Suits, Business Suits, Underwear, etc., all in the greatest quantity and variety. My stock of BOOTS AND SHOES is fully up to the demand, embracing everything from the finest to the commonest.

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In making the attention of the Furniture buyers to my stock this winter I believe that I am advertising for their good as well as my own. The assortment is larger than ever before, including the newest and best made. There are many new and beautiful designs in PARLOR AND CHAMBER FURNITURE of Italian, French, and American styles, and all that is new. A full stock of Mattresses and Bedding.

UPHOLSTERY DEPARTMENT

Offers much that is new and additions are being made daily. Customers are invited to make a comparison before purchasing. My entire Fall and Winter Stock has been selected, not hurriedly, but with the greatest care and consideration for retail purchasers, and I now invite the public to a critical examination of same.

L. WOLFSON.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

PROGRESS OF THE NEW YORK OFFICIAL COUNT.

The Make Up of the Next House—Diphtheria in Chicago—Other News.

PORTLAND, Oregon, November 11.—Official returns from every county in the State give Blaine a plurality of 2100.

BELLEVILLE, Iowa, November 11.—The official canvass of the First Congressional district was completed this noon. The majority of Hall, Democrat, over Woodson is 70.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., November 11.—Blaine remains quietly at home. He appears to be waiting like everybody else, and occupies himself about his ordinary affairs and entertaining friends who call.

NEW YORK, November 11.—Honorable Emory A. Starns, in an interview this afternoon, said: "It is the duty of Blaine to insist on a fair count; for he has not been running for fun, but as a representative of some millions of people."

NEW YORK, November 11.—The Republican National committee have moved to the Victoria hotel, and Chairman Jones, Senator Robert and Messrs. Elkins, Claiborne and Converse are today awaiting reports of the official count in the State.

NEW YORK, November 11.—The Democratic National committee, to-day, issued a call to those interested in the cause of Cleveland and Hendricks for money with which to defray the expenses expected to be occasioned by the threatened dispute of the electoral vote of the State of New York.

CINCINNATI, November 11.—Diphtheria has broken out among the pupils of public schools, and several fatal cases are already reported. The health department officials are considering the advisability of closing the schools. The Health Commissioner has declared that the disease is certainly epidemic in the city. One family is reported as having lost six children out of seven in the past two weeks through the disease.

SMITH, W. T., November 11.—The election is still doubtful in this territory, with chances in favor of Voorhees, Democrats, for delegate to Congress. The only issue between the two parties was upon the question of railroads. Democrats and disaffected Republicans demanded the forfeiture of the land grant which lapsed over seven years ago, which they probably won their fight. Voorhees' estimated majority is about 100.

BALTIMORE, November 11.—Official returns at the Secretary of State's office show that the Republican candidates for State Secretary, Treasurer and Comptroller, voted for a week ago, have pluralities over the Democratic candidates of about 125 each. Walter, Democrat, for Governor, has the only one on the ticket getting a plurality. The Legislature will have the choosing of the State ticket and the Legislature is Republican.

WASHINGTON, November 11.—Secretary McPherson says that according to his figures, subject to corrections, but not likely to be changed, the Democrats will have 183 members in the next House, the Republicans 141 and the Independent Unionists 76. This gives a Democratic majority of 41 over the Republicans, and a Republican gain of 23 over the present representation. The Democrats lose 17 and the Greenbackers or Independents lose 4.

NEW YORK, November 11.—John Kelly, of Tammany hall, said to-night: "There is no political significance in the election of Alderman Walte, Republican, as President of the Board of Supervisors by the votes of Tammany Aldermen." Mr. Kelly adds: "The only one often voted with Tammany Democrats, and the latter have only corresponded with the retiring Aldermen's desire for reelection. Kelly declares that Tammany Aldermen will watch the count on the electoral votes as a cat watches a mouse."

NEW YORK, November 11.—The Mail and Express says: "The official count of ballots in every county of the State is now in progress. The work will be very thorough. Neither party yields an inch, and every figure will be closely scrutinized. In the counties of the State a week is usually consumed in the work; in this city and Kings county less time is required. Your years ago the canvass of the State was not completed until the 20th, over a week distant. Prominent lawyers on both sides will watch the count."

BOSTON, November 11.—E. Hoppeler, doing business under the firm name of the Boston Diamond Cutting company, is said to be missing with diamonds belonging to various Boston firms and private customers, valued at a large sum. Hoppeler's partner was treated by the jewellers of this city almost indignantly. It was his custom to call upon first-class jewelers firms and request the loan of diamonds, which he said he could sell to good advantage. A large number of anxious inquirers for him suppose he has gone to San Francisco, where he has friends. It is almost impossible to state the amount of his indebtedness. A number of firms have already reported, but request that their names be withheld. Mr. Hoppeler's last report was \$125,000 to \$150,000 worth of diamonds each.

PAID, November 11.—Between noon and 11 o'clock last night 98 fresh cases of cholera and 11 deaths were reported in this city. The numbers do not include additional cases and deaths which occurred at the hospital. In numerous instances the patients were seized by the deadly disease in the most sudden manner, without hardly a premonition. They were stricken on the street in businesses or other public places, or when about their ordinary avocations. The hospitals set apart for the use of cholera patients are already full to overflowing and others are being placed in readiness as rapidly as circumstances will permit. Many cases have occurred among the troops at the garrison, and nearly all the barracks have soldiers are attacked.

If the epidemic continues an order will be issued closing the public schools. The eastern and central portions of the city are the ones most affected. The residences occupied principally by English and American people are in a most excellent sanitary condition.

NEW YORK, November 11, midnight.—Up to this hour the result of the ballot for Presidential electors has been declared in 31 of 60 counties of this State. The last previous reports of County Clerks show a Democratic plurality of 1280, and to-day's canvass shows a net loss of four votes. The remaining 27 counties, with two exceptions, have reported progress and will, for the most part, report the result of their canvass to-morrow. To-day's reports speak of irregularities in form, but no mention is made of any serious discrepancy in the count. Several counties which do not to-day complete their official canvass, report that there was no reason to be any change from their previous returns.

Canvassed returns received by the Democratic State committee from 24 counties include the names of six voters in favor of Blaine against 21 in favor of Cleveland. No returns have been received at the Republican National Headquarters from Auburn, and Chairman Draper, of the Republican and State Executive committee, could not be found. General J. S. Knapp, state-at-large Republican from Auburn, believed the official canvass would make no material change in the published returns. "If there is any hitch," said Knapp, "it will be in New York and Kings counties." Up in the country people know 24 hours after the closing of the polls what the result is.

"WHOOPEE-LE."

Maud 5 Makes a Mile in the Extraordinary Time of 20 1/2.

LEXINGTON, Ky., November 11.—Maud 5 has proved herself a greater winner than even her late owner, Vanderbilt, or her present owner, Robert Bonner, ever thought she was. Hiram Woodruff, the old-time trainer of trotting horses, laid it down as an old-law that you could never have a fast mile after frost had struck the ground. Last week he formed repeatedly and took the elasticity from the ground. Sober-headed men like Dr. Hirsch said it was too late for Maud 5 to attempt to do what no horse except herself had ever done. Enthusiasts, however, predicted that the record would be broken. The day was bright for November, but the experts did not look for muscles to be flexible when Indian summer comes. There was a large gathering of the best people of the Blue Grass region at the track of the Lexington Jockey Club, and hundreds of church-going people were present, among them several distinguished names. Mr. Bonner was gratified to see a party of company posted on the grand stand: "No betting allowed."

At half-past 11 Maud came out behind the Queen and gave her a warning mile in 22 1/2. The judges and timers were Major H. C. McDowell, Colonel R. West and Mr. Bonner. The opposition stood Mr. Bonner held his watch flanked on both sides by General J. F. Robinson, Mr. L. Broadhead, Mr. Richard Anderson and Henry Smith. The conditions under which the performance was made were written in the record book. "Maud 5 will start to beat her own record of 1:06 and she will beat the record, Woodburn farm, where she was bred, will commemorate the achievement by awarding to her, through the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' association a cup with the time made by her engraved on it. Maud 5 jogged around the track, went to the head of the head of the stretch, came down and nodded for the start. The great mare did not make a single mistake. The time of the first quarter was 32 1/2 seconds, the half mile 1:04, the three-quarter mile was reached in 1:37, and here Mr. Howerman joined her. The finish was reached in a sulky. The finish was strong and the judges stopped their watches at 2:09. The majority of outside watches made the time 2:08 when the Queen returned to the stand for Maud 5. The race was indescribable. The crowd filled the quarter stretch and cheered until their throats were hoarse. The greatest performance of the kind ever witnessed in the world, and Kentucky shouted as the Kentucky can. Mr. Bonner was congratulated on every side by the breeders. General W. F. Withers, Mr. D. Swigert and Mr. Tod Hunter pressing forward to take him by the hand. When Grant, the colored groom, was cooling Maud out on the lawn scores of ladies gathered around and asked for the privilege of touching her. The mare was much pleased. A gratulatory dispatch was to Mr. Vanderbilt. The mare will now be turned out for the winter.

Installation of Officers.

The colored Odd Fellows Lodge No. 2143, met yesterday evening at Kirsch hall and installed the newly elected officers of the Order, as follows:

Inside Guardian, Z. Irwin.
Warden, Anderson Mast.
Left Supporter to Vice Grand, Oscar Zebby.
Right Supporter to Vice Grand, H. C. Tanner.
Right Supporter to Noble Grand, Ike Tanner.
Worthy Chaplain, Abner Seymour.
Worthy Treasurer, Mr. C. W. Grimes.
Worthy Secretary, Walter Patterson.
Worthy Grand, W. W. Grimes.
Past Noble Grand, Benjamin Carlson.
Noble Grand, Joseph Hughes.
Past Noble Grand, Andrew Bushy.
Officers Household of Ruth, No. 365, G. U. O. O. F.
Past Noble Governor, Miss Mollie Carey.
Mont Noble Governor, Mrs. Rosa Irwin.
Right Noble Governor, Mrs. Emily Carver.
Noble Governor, Miss Ellen Hines.
Worthy Recorder, Mrs. C. W. Grimes.
Worthy Treasurer, Mrs. C. W. Grimes.
Worthy Usher, Miss Josephine Jones.
Worthy Chaplain, Mrs. S. Johnson.
Worthy Stewardess, Mrs. S. White.
Right Noble Steward, Mrs. Louisa Martin.
Left Noble Steward, Mrs. Solomon Brown.
Right Junior Steward, Miss Helen Dickey.
Left Junior Steward, Mrs. William Dickey.

AN INQUEST.

Sudden Death of Willis Wallace This Morning.

An inquest was held this morning by Justice Peter Shields on the body of Mr. Willis Wallace, who died suddenly in his bed at the Southern hotel about 4 o'clock this morning. Mr. Wallace is well known as the District Attorney of the Thirty-eighth Judicial district, and he had been re-elected at the recent election to the same office by a large majority. Mr. Wallace is the brother-in-law of Marshall Hal Gossling, whose sister he married some 10 years ago.

From the evidence of E. B. Vance the following facts as to the sudden death of Mr. Wallace was adduced. Mr. Vance invited Mr. Wallace, in the early portion of the evening, to sleep with him at the Southern hotel, and this invitation was accepted. On retiring to rest nothing appeared to be the matter with Wallace, and he was perfectly sober. Vance who is a restless sleeper was woken up on hearing some one about the room, and he found it was Wallace, again laid down and appeared to be sleeping. Hearing Vance was again aroused by hearing Wallace's snoring, and finding Wallace had been lying on his back, he turned on his side and noticed that Mr. Wallace had passed away in his sleep. Mr. Wallace was found in his bed motionless. He then informed the hotel clerk, and it was soon discovered that Mr. Wallace had passed away in his sleep. Mr. Wallace was found in his bed motionless. He then informed the hotel clerk, and it was soon discovered that Mr. Wallace had passed away in his sleep.

The jury, in accordance with the evidence, brought in a verdict of death from heart disease.
Mr. Wallace's remains will be buried from the residence of his aunt, Mrs. Evans, 407 North Flores street, at 10:30 o'clock to-morrow morning. Services by Dean Richardson.

Our Railroad.

There was a full meeting of the directors of the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railway this morning at the office of the Secretary, W. A. Boyce. The reports of the two surveying parties on the two lines surveyed were received, but the field notes have not yet been handed in. There is not much difference in the lines surveyed, one being about as good as the other. The east line, however, will require bridging and piling, although it is about eight miles longer than the west line.

A Murderous Husband.

Casper Jennett, a German who keeps a little store in the Fourth ward at the corner of Barrera and Chicago streets, got on a drunk last night and became angry with his wife. He swore he would kill her and chased her about trying to do so. His wife hid herself and the police officers were telephoned for. Officer Andrews Coy rode out to the scene of the disturbance and arrested Jennett, and the guests of Hon. Recorder fined him \$10 and placed him under a \$200 peace bond to keep the peace towards his wife for one year.

Death Roll.

November 10.—Charles Weik, four months old, died in second ward from diarrhoea. Child of Mr. Bayler, aged one year and six months, died in the First ward from enteric colitis. Louis Schellhagen, aged 6 years, died in the Third ward from diphtheria. Almo Heald, aged 2 years, died in the Third ward from membranous croup. Mitchell Trede, aged one month, died in the Third ward from inflammation.

November 9.—Sophia Hivas Yela, aged 22 years, died in the First ward of phthisis pulmonalis.

Travis Park Concert.

Professor Hall, leader of the Eighth Cavalry band, announces the following programme for this evening's concert at the above park at 4:30.

1. March, The Moon, Mueller.
2. Grand selection from "Fra Diavolo," Verdi.
3. Waltzes, The Violets, Waldfreud.
4. Potpourri, "The What is It," Meyer.
5. Song and Dance, Louisiana Serenaders, Brahms.

A Celebration.

A select little party was held at Turner hall last evening. The object of assembling was to celebrate the defeat of the gentleman who provided the beer. The evening passed pleasantly, many of the company discharging themselves as ebullientists or rancourists.

The City Charter.

A meeting will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Mayor's office by the committee formed for the purpose of revising our city charter. The committee consists of Aldermen Belnap, Bolton, Lockwood and Sayre and Messrs. Wacker, Groves and Robinson.

The Bonanza King.

An error was made in the Express this morning as to the date of arrival of the bonanza king, Mackay, at San Antonio. He did not leave San Francisco until Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and therefore will not be here until to-morrow morning.

Recorder's Court.

Domingo Molin, drunk, \$5 fine.
Casper Jennett, drunk and disorderly, fined \$10 and put under \$200 peace bond for one year.
One case dismissed and six continued.

THE NEW ENGINE.

Public Trial on the Main Plaza Yesterday.

At 2:30 yesterday afternoon, on the Main plaza the trial of the new fire engine, James H. French, was publicly made. The Mayor, members of the City Council and many other dignitaries had assembled to witness the trial in addition to a large concourse of spectators. The various Hook and Ladder companies were in attendance in full uniform, and after a short preliminary drill, the trial of the Sibley steam truck took place under the supervision of Mr. James P. Teller, the delivering engineer of the Sibley Manufacturing company.

The engine is a No. 2 of the Sibley Manufacturing company of Seneca Falls, New York, and of the same build as the old No. 1, it has been in use for nearly 12 years. Its weight is 4700 pounds, not loaded. It is a fine stream, was thrown inside of eight minutes, and the distance the water was carried, was 150 feet high and 100 feet long. This stream was ejected by a 1 1/2 inch nozzle. With four nozzles of 3 inch a magnificent display was made and the engine was shown either of which would go over San Fernando railroad or the Rumpffman building. The test yesterday afternoon was considered a very satisfactory one, and there is no doubt but that the engine will be accepted by the city.

Engineer Teller says that after the machinery has been in use a short time it will only take five minutes before a good stream is able to be ejected. At the conclusion of the test Alamo Company No. 2 and invited guests repaired to the engine house and partook of an elegant lunch which had been provided in the truck house. Appropriate speeches were made by Chief Engineer, Assistant Chief Engineer, Foreman Hoedding and others. Toasts to the majority of the Fire department and their new engine were also drunk in the hour which had been placed at the disposal of the guests.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Collected From Hotel Corridors and Elsewhere.

Major H. M. Fry, of Guaymas, is in the city.
J. A. Hooper, of Austin, is at the Menger.
C. D. Drell, of Seguin, is at the Southern.
E. L. Gage and family, Fort Davis, are at the Menger.
Captain Joe Shelby, of the State Rangers, is in the city.
Deputy Sheriff Ed. Vance, of Castroville, is in the city.
Messrs. Velth, of the firm of Velth & Muller, of Uvalde, is in the city.
C. M. Campbell, Postal Inspector from Austin, is at the Southern.
Thos. Bowen, a stockman of Nolan county, is at the Central.
Hon. H. J. Labatt, of Galveston, is registered at the Menger.
J. H. Butler, a ranchman of La Salle county, is at the St. Leonard.
J. S. Bassett and F. P. Teal, stockmen of Aransas, are at the Central.
L. T. Lawrence, a stockman of Lennox, Edwards county, is at the St. Leonard.
P. E. Teitz, County Surveyor of Edwards county, is at the St. Leonard.
Lieutenant Frank Jones and Frank Miller, of the State Ranger company, are at the St. Leonard.
Mr. H. E. Tuttle and lady, and Miss Kate Mitchell, returned last night from Mr. Tuttle's Rio country ranch.
Cyrus W. Field, Jr., Mrs. Field and Miss Mabel, of New York, who have been spending a few days in San Antonio, leave to-morrow for Monterrey, Mexico. On their return east they will visit Galveston, and the guests of Hon. Thomas P. Oehlert, who was himself a guest of Mr. Field last September on reaching Galveston on Mr. Field's magnificent yacht, the Pretel.

Gambinus Veroin.

The first of a series of dances under the management of the Gambinus Veroin will take place at Jones' garden, on November 14. The dances will be given at intervals of two weeks, and the second one will be given at Summers' garden; the third at Turner hall; the fourth at the Casino.

A 11 Pound Boy.

L. C. Manlove, the traveling auditor of the Sunset railway, wears a smile all over his face this morning, and is inviting all the boys to smile with him. The cause being Mrs. Manlove presenting him with a 11 pound boy.

Jon Money's.

New Crystal restaurant is doing a splendid business. This restaurant is first-class in all its departments, and as money is one of the most popular in town and is deserving of success.

Corner in Homely Coachman.

From the Hartford Times.
Judging from the leading newspaper paragraphs all over the country, a stranger would be led to think that hundreds of American girls were in the habit of eloping every year with their father's coachman. There have been three elopements of this kind during the last 300 years, averaging one in a century. Scarcely a day goes by without a squib, ridicule and some thing else, having been cast upon the coachman of the period, not one of them seems to have had the spirit to retaliate. In fact, no coachman has applied to the newspaper columns for justification. Perhaps it is beneath his dignity. But it is a curious fact that people have acquired the habit of continually examining the personal appearance of any coachman driving a carriage owned by the rich father of a daughter. There is a "corner" in homely coachmen just now.

The Headquarters.

For ready-made clothing and gent's furnishing goods, go to W. Wolfson. The greatest variety and the largest stock to select from. In prices competitive with the lowest. Call and see him before making your purchases. You are always welcome to call and examine goods and prices, whether you buy or not.

California Cigar Store,
The Street to be had, at Kesselman's, the Cash Grocery, 206 Commerce street.
11-21-84

A Chapter to Please the Ladies.

Fall is over and about us; the trees and yellow leaves are falling from tree and shrub; the season, with its accompanying excitement, is over once more, and as things are drifting back into the quietude, and as by day assume the even tenor of social and domestic life. A Laura representative met Mr. L. Wolfson and was conducted into the newly furnished and refitted millinery branch of this justly celebrated establishment. Here is to be seen everything whatsoever pertaining to the decorative art in ladies' head wear, and for the benefit of the many lady readers of the Light a synopsis of the different kinds of hats that will be in use during the coming season for different occasions in the social intercourse of the ladies of our city is given. The chief authority in this line, the styles, all of which can be had either already made or to be gotten ready from a full stock of material on hand and put into shape and style by a number of skilled lady milliners employed by Mr. Wolfson. First, a hat for a visiting toilet is constructed of felt edged fluting of velvet, and lined with gold or copper, and adorned with feathers to match the lining. Another style is of gray felt, with a cluster of velvet, ornate trimmings of the same color, gray feathers. Hats for parties in garden or lawn are of straw, high in front as though scooped out to show satin lining covered with lace, pauf of ribbon with wings, aggrate at the side, while feathers are also employed very much for the various adornments. Traveling hats are made of both straw and felt, trimmed with velvet and long feathers to match. A beautiful gown made of straw with velvet and feathers. Another traveling hat is a "Chapeau a la mode" with a high crown and a wide brim, with a cluster of feathers, and a large bow. A "Chapeau a la mode" with a high crown and a wide brim, with a cluster of feathers, and a large bow. A "Chapeau a la mode" with a high crown and a wide brim, with a cluster of feathers, and a large bow.

And now comes the most interesting part of the whole. It consists of the varied styles, shades and hues of color of the various hats and caps worn by our young folks, either girls or boys, or even baby of two or three years of age. For the latter, a felt hat, with a cluster of feathers, and a large bow. A "Chapeau a la mode" with a high crown and a wide brim, with a cluster of feathers, and a large bow. A "Chapeau a la mode" with a high crown and a wide brim, with a cluster of feathers, and a large bow. A "Chapeau a la mode" with a high crown and a wide brim, with a cluster of feathers, and a large bow.

A Poetic Gem.

[BY J. M. WILSON.]
"Twas upon a bleak night, dearie, as I
A quivering body of fire
Over many a bright green table in the
Gambler's store;
While I drank and my friends were slaking,
My soul within me thinking,
As if some great power'd been linking
Linking out my life before;
'Tis the past I live in, and I'm
Meek and mild, and I'm
Fain would I above it soar.
As I sat in my lone chamber, I did quail
Before the danger
Of such lurking, eager stranger who
Had brought his golden steed,
From his gold I now might take him,
But again, his friends might stake him.
To those rare and beautiful pieces,
Which all men seem to adore,
Little known upon this shore.

Presently my soul grew calmer, and
With no great need of armor
I did then approach the shutter with
My rifle and my gun;
And I seemed to see with phantom
Moving up and down the shore.
Then I heard a faint low murmur as
The great I live in, and I'm
Meek and mild, and I'm
Fain would I above it soar.
As I sat in my lone chamber, I did quail
Before the danger
Of such lurking, eager stranger who
Had brought his golden steed,
From his gold I now might take him,
But again, his friends might stake him.
To those rare and beautiful pieces,
Which all men seem to adore,
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"Sir," said I, "that groan has touched me;
Touched me to the very core,
Speak kind sir, I here implore."
As I listened almost soulless, all at once
I felt a boldness,
As upon the stage I trembled and on
I used the rain drop part;
Then I heard a weak voice crying, "Oh,
For God's sake, help I'm dying,"
Some poor lost one thought I, crying,
Crying at my very door.
Like a parting spirit sighing, for that
Other brighter shore,
This was all I heard, no more.

"Sir," said I, "if you're a stranger I
Would say that you're in danger,
For I truly wish your safety—nothing
more.
Tell me, did they find you snapping; have
they your poor soul been trapping?
Have they your poor soul been trapping?
Snapping—snapping to its very core?
Then I took him on my shoulder, as I
Felt him growing colder, and I laid
him on the floor.
This I did, and nothing more.
Then the stranger seemed to tremble as
his last thoughts did assemble
"A gentleman," quoth I, "nearly went
the closer he went.
Then I heard words faintly spoken as if
by a heart most broken:
"If I had but known of Rumerus—if I
had known him before!
I did pledge my very life
To him as the willow rose."
Attention, S. P. Enchantment.
The members of Section 103, Endowment Bank N. E., are hereby notified that all dues and assessments must be paid out later than the 15th of the month will be reported on suspended list to the Insurance Committee, thereby forfeiting all benefits.
S. P. Johnson,
Sec'y, and Treas., N. E. B. N. E.
Gentle and furnishing goods at discount.